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TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PFOR RP CH

SUBJECT: PHILIPPINE COMMUNIST PARTICIPATION IN MAO RITES

REF: MANILA 14523

1. THE PRC-TV BROADCAST OF FOREIGNERS PAYING THEIR RESPECTS TO THE CHAIRMAN SEPTEMBER 14 INCLUDED MENTION OF A WREATH SENT BY THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE PHILIPPINES (PCP). THIS WAS ALSO NOTED IN NCNA-ENGLISH SEPTEMBER 15. THERE WAS NO MENTION OF ANY CONDOLENCE MESSAGE OR PCP REPRESENTATION IN THE BROADCAST.

2. NEVERTHELESS, A CONDOLENCE LETTER FRM THE PCP-CC TO ITS CHINESE COUNTERPART WAS PUBLISHED IN NCNA SEPTEMBER 20. THE LONG LETTER, DATED SEPTEMBER 19, IS A PAEAN TO THE CHAIRMAN AND CONCLUDES ON THIS NOTE: "WE ARE DETERMINED TO TURN GRIEF INTO COURAGE, STRENGTHEN THE MILITANT UNIT BETWEEN OUR TWO LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PARTIES AND PEOPLES, HOLD HIGH THE INVINCIBLE BANNER OF

MARXISM-LENINISM-MAO TSE-TUNG THOUGHT, PERSIT IN OUR PEOPLE'S  
DEMOCRATIC REVOLUTION, OVERCOME ALL DIFFICULTIES AND CONTRIBUTE  
OUR SHARE TO THE TRIUMPHANT ADVANCE OF OUR COMMON REVOLUTIONARY  
CAUSE." WE ARE POUCHING A COPY OF THE LETTER AS REQUESTED  
REFTEL.

3. FYI: A STATEMENT BY PRESIDENT MARCOS ON THE DEATH OF  
CHAIRMAN WAS PUBLISHED BY NCNA SEPTEMBER 13, THE PRESIDENT  
AND HIS WIFE'S CALL AT THE CHINESE EMBASSY IN MANILA WAS  
REPORTED SEPTEMBER 15, AND MARCOS'S CONDOLENCE MESSAGE TO  
CHINESE PREMIER HUA KUO-FENG WAS CARRIED SEPTEMBER 18. CROSS

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